

SAYS HE WAS HIRED

A Witness Explains His Non-Appearance in Court.

MAKING A RADICAL CHARGE

J. C. Jones Swears He Was Paid \$25 by a Prisoner and His Attorney.

A Receipt Was Duly Given.

The charge of larceny from the person against John Thompson and Philip Cummings has been continued in police court from time to time on account of the non-appearance of J. C. Jones, the complaining witness. The case was on call again yesterday for the purpose of reading the testimony taken at a former examination, and to the surprise of the defendants and their attorneys, James M. Mahoney, Jones was brought into court. Detective Jake-way arrested him on bench warrant at a lumber camp in Newaygo county and brought him to this city Saturday night. When he was testifying on the stand yesterday he caused a commotion among the court officials, the prisoners and Attorney Mahoney by his explanation of his absence from court. He said Thompson and Mahoney gave him \$25 if he would not appear at the examination and take a receipt from them for the amount. Thompson and Cummings were arrested some time ago for stealing Jones' gold watch while he was drunk. The three men had been drinking together in Henry's saloon and took a cab to the city yard together. Jones was sick and Cummings held his head while he relieved his stomach of his uncomfortable load. While Jones was engaged in this act it is alleged that Thompson took his watch from his vest pocket. The watch has not been recovered. In addition to the \$25 Jones says that Mahoney and Thompson promised to send him \$5 if he did not appear. Judge Haggerty deferred his disposition of the case until this morning.

Arrested for Non-Support.

David C. Roe was arrested yesterday on a charge of desertion and non-support, preferred by his wife. He explained to Judge Haggerty that he had been at Traverse City working at the carpenter trade, and had no idea of deserting his wife. He drew his quarterly stipend from the government and by some mistake he neglected to send any of it home to his wife. He had been drinking a little, he said, and spent some of the money with the boys. He promised to look after his wife more carefully in the future and the judge adjourned the hearing until he could have a talk with Mrs. Roe.

Removed a Diphtheria Sign.

August Garzenzo, an Italian living on Lagrange street, was arrested yesterday by Detective Gast and Jakesway for tearing down a diphtheria sign that had been put on his father-in-law's house. When he was arrested in police court he explained to Judge Haggerty that he took the card down because the baby had been put into the carriage, meaning the nurse, and thought he did no harm. He supposed after the child had died there was no more danger. The fine in such cases ranges from \$2 to \$100, at the discretion of the court, but Garzenzo was let off by the payment of \$2 and costs.

Lien on the Hartman Building.

The Peninsular General Electric company has a suit in the circuit court yesterday to enforce a mechanic's lien placed on the Hartman building to secure a debt of \$4,890.63. The debt is said to have been contracted in May last for furnishing and equipping an electric light plant to be used for the purpose of lighting the building. The bill asks that the company may have a lien upon the entire interest of Carroll S. Hartman in the premises and the buildings situated thereon.

For Illegal Selling.

Deputy Marshal Judd arrested George Rounds of Vicksburg, Montcalm county, yesterday on a charge of retailing liquor without paying the government tax. He was arrested before Commissioner McGowan, who held him to the October term of the United States court for trial under bonds of \$200. Rounds gave bail and was released from custody.

Stole Twelve Overcoats.

Deputy Sheriff T. H. Pond arrested George Shafer and Thomas Cain at the West Michigan fair grounds yesterday for the larceny of two overcoats. They were stolen from one of the stock sheds, where they had been hanging by a stock exhibitor and his hired man, who rode in the eastern part of the state. The boys will be arraigned in Justice Westfall's court this morning.

Arrested G. W. Streeter.

G. W. Streeter of Allegan, who was recently bound over for trial in the circuit court of Allegan county, charged with assault and battery, was arrested here by Sergeant Webb yesterday. He came to this city to visit friends and the Allegan county authorities feared he was going to jump his bail and sent for him.

Mabel Mayo Discharged.

Mabel Mayo, who was charged with larceny, was discharged in the supreme court yesterday. She was arrested for stealing some clothing from a house on Kent street, but it is so evident that her mind is unbalanced that Judge Bingham discharged her. She will now be turned over to the proper authorities and examined for admission to an asylum.

Fairies Pleaded Not Guilty.

Carrie Campbell, Maud Warden and Katie Arnold were arraigned in police court yesterday morning on a charge of disorderly conduct. They pleaded not guilty and their examination was adjourned until Sept. 26. The girls were arrested Saturday night with Charles Tolgson in Akeley & Frost's saloon on East Bridge street.

Found Hoagland Guilty.

In the superior court yesterday the motion was taken up by the arguments

in the case of the People vs. Ed Hoagland, charged with burglary from Westcott's drug store on Wealthy avenue. During Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Latour's argument Hoagland's mother and sister left the court room. At 3:15 the case was given to the jury, and in fifteen minutes it came in with a verdict of guilty. The respondent and his father, who was listening, took the verdict with much coolness. The prisoner will be sentenced today.

For Selling to Minors.

Lewis W. Parish, a Hall street saloon keeper, was arrested yesterday on a warrant charging him with having sold liquor to a minor. The complaint was made by Mrs. Hattie Tracy, who accuses him of selling liquor to her 14-year-old boy, Leo. He pleaded not guilty and his examination was set for September 27.

Will Try Again.

Daniel J. McCarthy has renewed his application for readmission to the bar, and yesterday Judge Grove referred it to a committee composed of F. J. O'Brien, J. W. Hanson, Birney Hoyt and Charles E. Ward. The committee will make its report to the court.

Police and Court News.

The case of larceny against Alexander Visner and Samuel Leonard was nolle prossed in police court yesterday. They were charged with having stolen an iron hitching post from Leilaite iron works but the post could not be identified in court.

The case against Frank L. Warrell of the Michigan house was nolle prossed in police court yesterday. He was charged with being disorderly on complaint of a female domestic but she did not appear against him.

The Examination of James P. Roe

for keeping his saloon open on Sunday was adjourned yesterday until Sept. 26.

LAW AND LAWYERS.

Circuit Court—Part I.

JUDGE GROVE.

Botsky Krodosna vs. Meile Vennbar, trespass on the case; motion for security for costs denied without prejudice.

Allie Thomas vs. Michael Fayne, trespass; motion for security for costs, order that plaintiff within sixty days file undertaking for costs.

Fractional School, District No. 12, township of Ada, Grand Rapids and Plainfield vs. Michael Doyle, chancery; petition to amend bill granted without costs.

In the matter of the application of Daniel J. McCarthy for readmission to the bar; order referring to a committee.

Superior Court.

JUDGE BURLINGAME.

The people vs. Ed Hoagland, burglary and larceny; trial resumed.

Resolutions of Kent County bar upon the death of the Hon. J. H. Parrish, presented by committee of bar association and ordered spread upon the records.

The people vs. Mabel Mayo, larceny from a dwelling in the daytime; respondent and bail discharged.

Probate Court.

JUDGE PERKINS.

Estate of John Mohrhard, deceased. Letters to the Michigan Trust company as administrator.

Estate of Klaua Walling, deceased. Petition for probate of will filed. Hearing October 14.

Estate of Anna M. Weinberger, deceased. Administrator's final account filed. Hearing October 14.

Estate of Foster Tucker, deceased. Executor's final account filed.

Estate of Helena Burkhardt, minor, now deceased. Guardian's final account allowed.

In re Martha Wells, insane. Order for admission to the asylum at Kalamazoo.

Marriage Licenses.

The following is a list of the marriage licenses issued last night, with the names, residences (when outside the city) and ages of the parties:

William Pitt Mary C. Smith, 22-23 John L. Pickett, 24-25, Minnie McCar, 24-25.

Antoin Tachere, South Bend, Genoveta Dykeman, 24-25.

John R. Jackson, Delta, Yonck, 24-25 John R. Jackson, Delta, Yonck, 24-25.

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That's what housework amounts to when it's done with Pearlina. Your labors will be light, though they may be many. They will be better done, and with safety. In washing clothes, dishes, paint, glass, anything that gathers dirt, Pearlina will do the work if you will look after it. Look after your own interests by using it.

Beware

Fedders and some unscrupulous grocers will tell you "this is as good as Pearlina." IT'S FALSE! Pearlina never perishes, and your grocer sends you something in place of Pearlina, do the honest thing—send it back. —JAMES FYLE, N.Y.

PRACTICAL TEMPERANCE.

Transforming the Drunkard.

That drunkenness is a disease is a fact that no physician who thinks anything of his reputation cares to deny. That it is a curable disease is a fact that is beyond dispute. An army of witnesses numbering more than 100,000 are walking up and down through America today testifying by their daily lives, by their complete transformation of life and character to the truth of the assertion that drunkenness can be cured. A hundred thousand happy homes with their occupants of happy wives and children are testifying to the fact that drunkenness can be cured. There are women and children in Grand Rapids who a month ago were living without hope for those dearer to them than their lives who today are unspeakably happy because of the fact that drunkenness can be cured. How can they be cured? Where can they be cured? Cured by medicine the same as any other disease. Cured at the Happy Home club rooms on Monroe street; and it can be done without the knowledge of anyone but the patient if they so desire.

Here is practical temperance work. Here is a field white for the harvest in which you, reader, can become a laborer. Have you a friend who is going down to a drunkard's grave and a drunkard's hell? That friend can be saved and the Happy Home club here to be used as the instrument of his salvation. If you wish to correspond with or interview the secretary or doctor all communications will be regarded as strictly confidential and a cure is guaranteed in every case.

Good Cooking

Is one of the chief blessings of every home. To always insure good custards, puddings, sauces, etc., use Gail Borden "Eagle" Brand Condensed Milk. Directions on the label. Sold by your grocer and druggist.

Admission to the Kent county fair

ground is 25c; grand stand 15c.

Shattuck and Trowbridge.

The elegant new merchant tailoring parlors of Shattuck & Trowbridge, Monroe street, up stairs, have been fitted with the finest of everything that constitutes a first-class stock, and are becoming the popular resort for correct dressers. The selections of stock are entirely from the latest domestic and foreign weaves, and are the most desirable in the market. The reputation of the firm needs no indorsement.

Donations Invited.

All ladies interested in the Woman's Home and Hospital are solicited to send donations of provisions suitable to serve as lunches to the West Michigan Fair grounds during the fair, or they may be left at the Home, No. 69 Lockwick street.

PETOSKEY

WEST MICHIGAN RY.

This will be a great opportunity for those who have been unable to go north earlier in the season to take advantage of the VERY LOW RATES offered and visit the various points of interest in Northern Michigan. Tickets will be GOOD TEN DAYS

and to return on regular trains from any station north of Baldwin until Oct. 13, inclusive.

The route will be VIA THE NEW LINE through Traverse City, Bellaire and Charlevoix.

COUNTY FAIRS

will be held at Traverse City Oct. 4 to 7 and at Petoskey Oct. 8 to 11, affording an opportunity for seeing a display of the products of Grand and Little Traverse Bay regions; which will compare favorably with those of much older portions of the state.

The special train will stop at any station north of Baldwin for passengers wishing to stop short of destination of ticket. Train will leave Grand Rapids at 12:15 p. m. and arrive at Petoskey about 9 p. m., stopping at Traverse City for supper. Fare for round trip \$4.00.

For further information address our agent or

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Color over that old dress or cloak, with Diamond Dyes. They make old things look new and fashionable, yet cost a mere trifle. Every dye is true to name and sample, easy to use, and gives results equal to those of the practical dyer. There is no need of looking shabby or wearing faded clothes now that these dyes are known. You would be surprised to know how many people in the very best society use Diamond Dyes, year in and year out.

Special Service to the Western Michigan Fair September 19 to 23.

The G. R. & I. R. R. and C. & W. M. Railway will run special trains from the Union depot to the Western Michigan fair grounds as follows:

Monday—First train leaves Union depot at 10 a. m.; make round trips every thirty minutes thereafter.

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday—First train leaves at 9 a. m.; make round trips every fifteen minutes thereafter.

Friday—First train leaves at 10 o'clock a. m.; make round trips every thirty minutes thereafter.

Trains will return from the fair grounds until 6:30 p. m., or later if necessary.

Rates, 15 cents round trip; 10 cents one way.

Milwaukee Exposition.

For the Milwaukee exposition the D. G. H. & M. railway will sell excursion tickets at rate of single fare for round trip on the following dates. Tuesday September 20-27 and October 4. Good for return the following Monday.

The Celebrated French Cure.

Warranted to cure "APHRODITE" or money to refund.

It is sold on a POSITIVE GUARANTEE.

It cures all cases of nervous disease or any disorder of the reproductive organs, whether arising

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It cures all cases of Indigestion, Liver Troubles, Headaches, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Gout, Gravel, and all other diseases of the blood and system.

It cures all cases of Debility, Loss of Power, and Impotency, which if neglected often lead to premature old age and insanity. Price \$10 a box, 6 boxes for \$50. Sent by mail on receipt of price.

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